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Chairman Woodall

I am writing this in regarding to SOVA's testimony on Jan 7th and their packet in regards to Barnes Rd Corridor.

- ① I present Mr. Robertson assuming that your committee to adopt SOVA's proposal without the local residents be given the opportunity to an open house with SFP so we can express our concerns, objections, opinions, and be able to provide alternate routes. SOVA has not provide any alternate routes (only 1 at the end). This isn't acceptable. The people to my north won't like this if my area does this to them.
- ② SOVA's members failure to recognize the maintain range to my west. It goes north and south, and it ends just south of Barnes Rd. This is the one the gentleman from the Buddhist temple is referring to.
- ③ There failure to recognize the cultural resources in the Blm. Two of my neighbors knows where they are Alice Shoop and Lou Villa, and they are willing to protect them.
- ④ SOVA and Mr. Rich (the engineer) refusing to recognize the number of people in the Barnes Rd alignment. They only consider who is on the frontage, which isn't correct. Even in their booklet on pg 31 the 3rd TP makes reference to the 2nd area of residents from hidden valley Rd to Warren Rd. What about from Arabian Rd to hidden valley Rd? On exhibit A-4, Arabian and Branding Iron Rds. is the 2 roads west of hidden valley Rd. I am on the west side of hidden valley Rd. I guess me and my neighbors in hidden valley estates unit 19, don't mean anything to SOVA. My unit is from the south side of Barnes to the north side of Meadowgreen (2nd St south of Barnes), from Arabian Rd to the west side of

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of hidden Valley Rd. Please note all the dots on exhibit A-4. In that area I got 29 signatures (those who were at home). I am the 2nd lot south of Barnes (my property starts 300ft south of Barnes). My neighbors to my west, Monty + Nancy Rollins at 5158 N. Branding Iron own their lot (2nd lot so. of Barnes) + the next one to the north (the corner) + the 2 directly behind them (1st + 2ndst lots on the east side of Archka - his father lives in that house). They will be hit hard with the Aps note which they know nothing about and along with the Sava note.

⑤ Cindy Allen testimony

She claims that SRP met privately with the residents of Barnes and Miller Rds and submitted the Haley Hills note in 2004. It's false. Please look at the copy of the Nov. 2002 newsletter. It shows the alignment to follow the gas line. The patio house meeting was held after Sava's meeting in Aug. at Harrah's (Please see extra flyer which I have + included). At that meeting Mr. Ferlits stated if you are south of Haley Hills get your own lawyer. The meeting with SRP in Sept included 4 residents of the Teal Rd area and it was informationally only. Ms. Allen provided nothing in documenting her claim.

⑥ Mr. Rich (engineer) Testimony

My issue is visibility. Mr. Rich statement to send it south so it won't be visible to Sava. Why should I see it? The visibility isn't a realistic reason to move it south. He doesn't understand the number of people who will then see it. My valley is much longer (going north + south). I included a copy of the western 1/2 of the "Draft work in progress". There are a lot more roads and people in this area. The people as far south of Robin Rd (this road goes east/west and it's on the north side of State land)

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will see it. May I suggest the Committee To tour the entire area south of Haley hills. There are so many more people south who will see it. Even those like me who are close to Barnes Rd + Desert Valley Rd areas will be effected yet, Mr. Rich and Sova's members are failing to recognize us. On Fri Jan 7th hearing, I felt like a second class resident because they won't recognize people like me and how it will impact me and others in my situation (who are very close to ~~the~~^{their} designs).

⑦ Sova's recommending in using a specific part will be more visual pleasing (p. 31 - "conduct or to min. visual impacts" last sentence of 1st P in sec. B). If this is the case, why not keep it Haley hills?

⑧ I also strongly recommend the Committee to tour the Desert Valley Rd from Sage, going west and all the roads that go off Desert Valley Rd. After my discussion with Lou Villa who lives at 5664 S.W. Juniper Rd (off Desert Valley Rd) he corrected me on the lot sizes. It's mostly 1/2, 1 and 1 1/2 acres. Some misc. larger sizes. The Committee will see the number of homes in that area. Please also look at the area of Barnes and Sage. The couple (who moved in last year) at 5586 N. Sage (Summers) are on Sage west side just north of Barnes, property goes underneath TEP. Paula who lives on Barnes just west of Sage on the north side. The property starts at the corner of Barnes and Sage (NW corner and going west to just past her home). Both families will be severely impacted. Paula has been there for about 1 yr. I also strongly recommend to tour the area from Arabian going east to Warren on Barnes, and that includes the roads south of and north of Barnes. This Committee will see how many residents, like me,

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are in the area

④ on Wed Jan 12th I spoke to Wayne Davis of APS in regards to the Santa Rosa - Siskiyou bend route.

I found it interesting that he stated that some easements were purchased but never recorded (some). He doesn't know why that happened. So those people are totally unaware of it. Yet, he is willing to research it as each property owner will request it. He stated if APS does eventually use the corridor they will repurchase the easement since someone messed up prior (and record it).

He also stated it's on the south side of Barnes, which I would be effected greater if both were to go in on the south side.

The other item which he questioned was, why isn't the real estate agents informing buyers about the corridor.

I was never informed about it. That leads me to another question. That is who is suppose to notify buyers of the utility corridor when no easement is purchased in that area or in my case, I am outside the easement but, still in the corridor? The real estate agents are not and there is no reference to it in the deed or unit packets. So, how are people like me are suppose to find out about it? At the time of purchase and those like me who feel thru the cracks? How can this be corrected?

⑤ Lastly, I would like committee, if possible, to set limits on the number of lines to be sited in one area. With Sava's proposal, the privately own section from Miller to Barnes Rds, following TEP, may have up to 4 lines and my stretch along Barnes Rd may have 2. At what point, how many are too many for 1 area to bare. I don't want my area along

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with the privately own section by TEP to become a
dumping ground of power lines as mobile has become
with the landfills.

Thank you Very much

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Powerline



Do you want a ^{130 to} 199-foot high
500kV powerline to cut
through our beautiful valley in
the same location as 4 existing
natural gas pipelines?

If your answer is **NO**,
please join us at a meeting for:

Concerned Residents

**Wednesday, August 18 from
7 – 9 p.m. at Harrah's
Ak-Chin Casino - Picacho Room
Free Food and Beverages**

PV-PW and PW-SEV/BOB Transmission Projects:

The PV-PW and PW-SEV/BOB Projects are composed of new 500 kilovolt (kV) transmission lines that will serve Pinal and Maricopa Counties. The Projects involve transporting power from the area near Palo Verde Generating Station to a new substation in western Pinal County (PW) and to a new substation located in northern Pinal County (SEV). The existing Browning to Silver King 500 kV line will then be looped into the northern Pinal substation (SEV). In addition, a new double circuit 230 kV line will be sited from the new SEV substation to a new 230 kV substation (RS19) and on to the Browning substation in east Mesa (BOB). The Projects are jointly planned by SRP, Arizona Public Service, Tucson Electric Power, and Santa Cruz Water and Power Districts Association. The Projects are managed by SRP.

Se ha conducido la segunda ronda en la serie de Foros Abiertos al Público, la cual se enfocó en identificar posibles rutas además de áreas de consideración especial.

Se ha iniciado un proceso publico para determinar la ubicación mas adecuada de una línea de transmisión nueva de 500 kV, la cual servirá a los condados de Pinal y Maricopa. El proyecto propone la transportación de energía eléctrica desde un área cercana a la central de generación de Palo Verde, ubicada al oeste de Phoenix, hacia la zona norte del Condado Pinal. Además, una línea de 230 kV se instalará desde la zona norte del Condado Pinal hasta la subestación eléctrica Browning.

Project Siting and Public Process - Phase II Open Houses Conducted in October 2002

The Participants conducted a second series of five Open Houses focusing on identifying Opportunities and Sensitive Areas for siting the Projects. This second phase of Open Houses was held in Casa Grande, Coolidge, Queen Creek, Maricopa, and Stanfield between October 8 and 16, 2002.

Approximately 300 people have attended a total of ten Open Houses that have been held to date in order to obtain input on the Projects. All of the comments received at the Open Houses, as well as others we continue to receive, are being incorporated into the Projects' database for use by the Projects' siting team to help identify the potential routes and alternatives.

PW-SEV/BOB Transmission Project

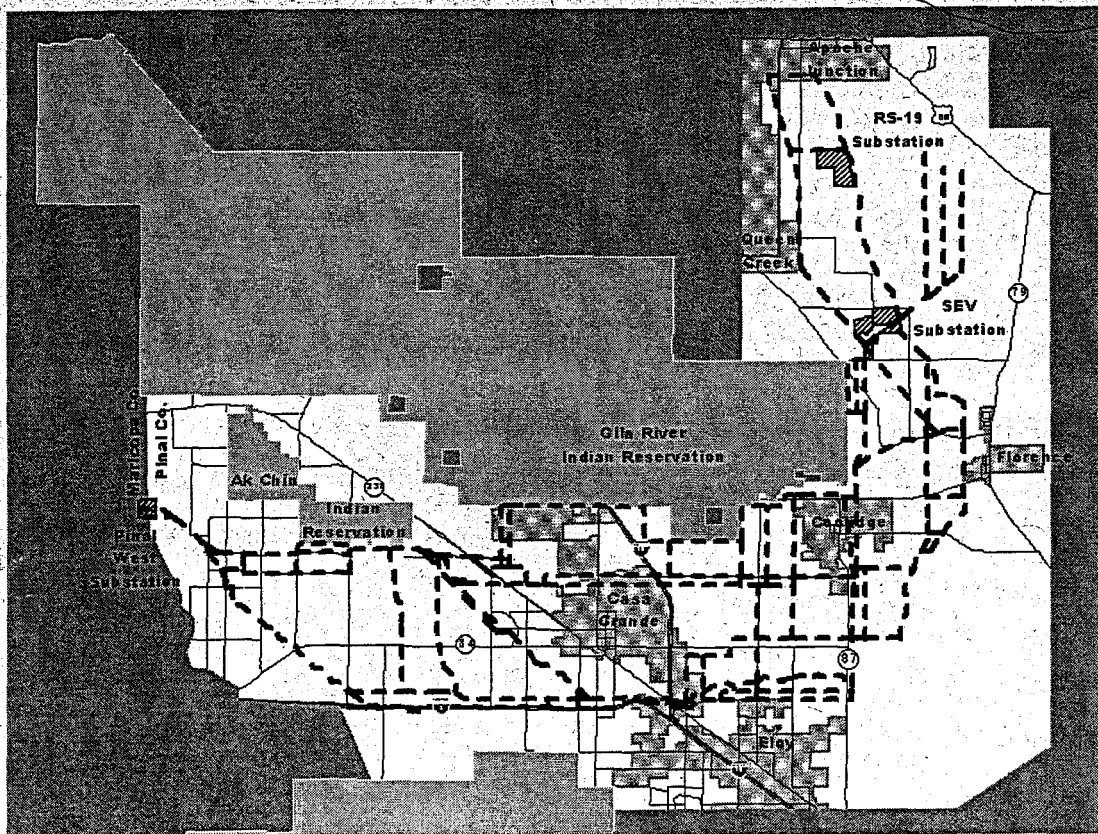
The map below identifies the potential routing alternatives for the PV-SEV/BOB Project. These potential alternatives are undergoing further detailed analysis. The Project is working to obtain input on these alternatives through the next series (Phase III) of Open Houses* to be held in December. Attendance is welcome from 4:00 - 7:00 p.m.

Mon. - December 9
Casa Grande Union High School
2730 North Trekell Rd
Casa Grande

Tues. - December 10
Coolidge High School
600 West Northern
Coolidge

Wed. - December 11
Queen Creek High School
22149 East Ocotillo
Queen Creek

Thurs. - December 12
Maricopa High School
45012 Honeycutt Ave
Maricopa



* Open Houses are designed to accommodate one-on-one communications.

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